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Subject: Microsoft Settlement

U.S. Department of Justice

Dear Sirs,

I believe it is time to finish the anti-trust case against Microsoft. I believe the proposed settlement as accepted by Microsoft is fair and should thus terminate this matter once and for all.

I have yet to find even one person in Alaska who can honestly say he or she has been harmed by Microsoft; to the contrary Microsoft technologies have been extremely advantageous for bush Alaska.

D.O.J. should not let itself be degraded and used by inferior competitors or manipulated by Congressmen from competitor's districts and states to fight in the market place.

Please accept the settlement now and end this matter for good.

Sincerely yours,

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